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#### PETERSBURGS AND ORIOLES FIGHT

A Good Game But Disgraceful Ending.

The Teams Become Involved in a Row the Second Time-Score 1 to 0 in Favor of the Locals-Nick Young's Instructions to National League Umpires-Reports

PETERSBURG, April 8 .- To day's game, the second between Petersburg and Baltimore (the first being a tie, broke up in a general free-for-all-fight in the second half of the seventh inning. The score up to that time was one run for Petersburg. It was fast, clean ball in every respect, but the Baltimores smarting under their inability to make a single run against a junior team, became very aggressive and things came to a climax in the seventh, when Jennings, of Baltimore, made a very vigorous pro-

of Baltimore, made a very vigorous protest against a decision of Powers, of Petersburg, who alternated with Bowerman, of Baltimore, as umpire.
Sholta, Petersburg's second baseman,
became involved, but Jennings resented
Sholta's interference by very foul and
abusive language and was promptly
struck in the face by the latter. A general fight followed and things became
considerably mixed up for a time, when
matters were finally cleared up with the
assistance of the police. The Ortoles
refused to continue the game, although
promised adequate police protection,
and left the grounds.
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Subsequently the row began again at the Appemattox Hotel, where, during the melee, a local man was thrown through a glass door by a Baltimore player. The police were again called upon to quell the disturbance and quiet was restored by a squad of police escorting the Baltimore team to the depot. But for the unfortunate wind-up a better game has never been witnessed on ter game has never been witnessed on the grounds in this city, and general re-gret is felt that it wound up in a fracas. 

Nick Young's Instructions.

Washington, April S.—President
Nick Young, of the National League,
has issued the following instructions to

league umpires:
"GENTLEMEN: As the gent emenselected to fill the positions of league umpires for 1896 are all men of large experience and mostly old league umpires it seems unnecessary for me to issue special in-

unnecessary for me to issue special instructions.

"I desire to call your special attention to the changes of the rules of fining and moving players, etc., and I shall insist that every umpire enforce not only that but every playing rule, both in letter and in spirit. If any rule is faulty, it can only be demonstrated by its strict enforcement. It is useless for an umpire to enforce the rules unless each and every one does exactly the same. If you commence from the very first game to do your whole duty you will have little trouble in doing so during the entire season, but if you do not your trouble will have just commenced and usefulness as an umpire practically at an end.

at an end.

"I have the utmost confidence in every one of the umpires and I believe that every decision rendered will be governed by his best honest judgment. In the discharge of your duty on the field you well know that you have my unqualified supportand you are entitled, and I believe you will receive, the support of every official of the league. The unmires will provide themselves with a umpires will provide themselves with a blue fiancel suit and cap, and always present a neat appearance upon the field.

"Be courteous and polite to all players whenever you meet them and I would advise that you avoid familiarity with any. With many it would be harmless while with others it would be taken advantage of and destroy your usefulness to a very great extent.

"You will consider all assignments as

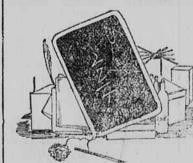
make a change necessary at very short

"After a game, go directly to your hotel, as you may find a telegram await-ing you. You cannot be too careful in watching for telegrams, and by so doing

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#### ROANOKE WON.

Small Crowd Witnessed a One-Sided Game

A small crowd witnessed the ball game yesterday afternoon between the Roanokes and the Roanoke College team. The latter was defeated to the tune of 14 to 1. Kimble and Pittinger twirled the sphere for the Roanokes and allowed the college lads but seven hits.

Hanyer was in the box for the college boys and was touched up pretty lively. The Roanokes secured seventeen hits, several of which were very scratchy. Gochenour, the new second baseman from Hagerstown, was in the game and went after everything in his territory. The general scutiment of the "cranks" is that we are no longer weak at second.

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The college lads put up a rather ragged game so far as throwing was

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Two-base hits—La Fleur, Sullivan, Hanyer.

Three-base hits—Wrigley. Stolen bases—tonnoke, 8; Roanoke College, 8. Double plays—
Wrigley to Gochenour, Borger to Penick, Wrigley to Sullivan to Tate. Bases on balls—
off Hanyer, 2. Hit by pitched ball—Sullivan and Coons. Struck out—by Hanyer, 5;
by Kimble, 2; by Pittinger, 4. Passed balls—
Thompson, 3. Umpire—Wright. Time—one
hour and forty minutes.

The Basekshure, College, there will. SUMMARY.

The Blacksburg College team will play the Roanokes Friday afternoon.

Boston Beats Norfolk.

Norfolk, Va., April 8.—Norfolk and
Boston played a very uninteresting
game this afternoon, the latter winning
by the score of 17 to 6.

Yale Defeats Georgetown. HAMPDEN, Va., April 8.—Yale, 16; Georgetown, 12. Johns Hopkins Defeated.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., April 8.—University of Virginia, 18; Johns Hopkins,

Richmond Wins. RICHMOND, Vs., April 8—Richmond defeated Princeton to-day by a score of 4 to 1 in a five-inning game.

PATTISON FOR PRESIDENT.

Chairman Harrity Supports Him For the

Chairman Harrity Supports Him For the Nomination.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, April 8.—The Commercial Gazette will print to-morrow a communication with a Philadelpnia date from W. J. Harrity, chairman of the Democratic National executive committee, in support of ex-Governor Patitson, of Pennsylvania, as Democraticandidate for the Presidency. Mr. Harrity says:

to meet the highest demands of the position. In Mr. Pattison will be found all the qualifications of such a leader.

#### Bartlett Racing Bill.

Washington, April 8.—The Bartlett racing bill to permit horse racing in the District of Columbia was to-day favorably acted upon by the district committee of the House. The bill is to authorize the incorporation of racing organizations. Under it meetings can be held only between April 30 and November 1, and between sunrise and sunset and there cannot be more than forty days of racing on any track in a season. A racing commission is to be established to supervise meetings.

Illinois Prohibitionists For Free Silver Springfield, Itl., April 8.—The Pro-hibitionists of Illinois in State convention assembled here to-day and adopted a platform declaring among other things for prohibition of the liquor traffic, giving the right to vote to women and men, observance of the Sabbath day; election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people, and the free coinage of silver. The vote for the silver plank was 212 to 169

#### McKinley Ahead in Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 8.—Official returns of the Republican primaries in Louisville and Jefferson counties, as furnished by R. H. Corothers, secretary of the Republican city and county committee, give McKinley 123 delegates and Bradley 77.

#### A Canadian Regiment Offered,

London, April 8.—The government of Canada to-day cabled to the secretary of state for the colonies, Joseph Chamberlain, offering a Canadian militia regi-

THE United States Government reports show Royal Baking Powder perior to all others. OPEN all night-Bonner's.

#### PROGRESS OF THE WAR IN CUBA

An Alleged Insurgent Outrage in Matanzas.

General Weyler Walks Incognite Through

the Streets of Havana-An Insurgent Incendiary Shot-The Rebel Leader Horreri in the Colon District-Manuel Gonzales, Another Insurgent Chief, Reported Killed-Other Spanish Sue

HAVANA, April 8 .- Captain-General Weyler last night took a walk, incognito, through the streets of the city. It is probable that after the elections he will assume the personal direction of the operations against the insurgents in the province of Pinar del Rio.

At the farm of El Portus, near Palos, province of Matanzas, the insurgents captured the proprietor, Joaquin Martinez Pajares, and in the presence of his daughters, who were crying and begging them not to kill their father, the insurgents, according to the dispatch, carried him to the woods. His daughter amelia followed her father and therepipon the insurgents fastened her to a tree and in her presence cut off her father's arm and slashed his throat. This, according to the story, caused the young girl to faint, and she was then outraged by the insurgents, who afterwards burned the farm house. An insurgent convicted of insendiarism in the province of Pinar del Rio was exe-Pajares, and in the presence of his the province of Pinar del Rio was exe-

cuted to-day.

Jose Cabera, also an insurgent, convicted of incendiarism, will be shot in the Cabanas fortress to-morrow. Police Inspector Trujillo has detained in custody a former employe of Hidalgo & Co., the bankers of this city, on the charge of having been connected with the forgery of August Belmon. & Co., of New York.

At Flarriba the insurgents left fifteen killed and the soldlers captured a number of arms. The troops had seven wounded.

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The column of troops commanded by Colonel Escuadero, while on the way from Manzanillo, province of Santiago de Cuba, to Veguita, loatseven wounded during several skirmishes with the insurgents. Of the latter six were killed. In an ambuscade on the plantation of Uremea, in the Colon district of the province of Mantanzas, the troops killed the insurgent leader, Ernesto Herrere, and three of his followers.

A column of troops skirmishing in the vicinity of the plantations of Fajardo and Morenite province of Matanzas, has killed twelve insurgents. The troops had five wounded,

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A dispatch from Trinidad says that
Manuel Gonzales, the insurgent leader,
has been killed and a telegram from
Oliver says that four insurgents have
been captured there.

#### CONTUMACIOUS WITNESSES.

The Government to Prosecute the Remaining Ones Without Delay.

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Washington, April 8.—It is the intention of the government to push as rapidly as possible the prosecution of the remaining witnesses indicted for contumacy in refusing to answer questions of the Senate sugar trust investigating committee almost two years ago.

Elverton R. Chapman, the New York broker, will surrender himself Monday. The other defendants are President Havemeyer and Secretary and Treasurer Searles, of the American Sugar Refining Company, Broker J. W. McCartney, of Washington, and Newspaper Correspondents E. J. Edwards, of New York city, and J. S. Shriver, of Washington.

tison, of Pennsylvania, as Democrat candidate for the Presidency. Mr. Harrity says:

"The Democratic candidate must be a man of broad views, undoubted integrity and with an inflexible purpose to meet the highest demands of the school beautiful and the school beautiful an the lower house, the remainder of the Jones ticket ran ahead of him, receiv-ing majorities ranging from 800 to

#### Lacey Test Case Postponed.

RICHMOND, April 8,—The habeas corpus case of Lacey, who was arrested at St. Astph's race track for violating the Maupin anti-gambling bill, has been postponed until Tuesday next by the courts of appeals. The defense has retained the services of a prominent New York Lawyer whose name to the stand York lawyer whose name is withheld. The case is a test one.

#### Bicycles as Baggage

ALBANY, N. Y., April 8 —With only one dissenting vote in the assembly and by a vote of 36 to 4 in the senate the bill declaring bloycles to be baggage, and that they shall be transported as such for passengers by railroad corporapassed the legislature to-day.

Volunteers at Barcelona. BARCELONA, April 8.—The municipal council of this city has decided to equip a battalion of volunteers.

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been in the piano business in this State
for fifteen years, and by his acknowledged ability, well known fair dealing
and sterling integrity won a high place
in the estimation of the public.

Mr. D. W. Meadows, the vice-president\_is a cousin of Tyler Meadows,
assistant cashier of the First National
Bank of Roanoke, and has resided in
this city since 1839. He has had many
years experience in the piano business
and holds a high place in the estimation of all who know him, both as a
business man and as a gentleman.

Mr. Warren Wellfard, the scorotary
and treasurer, is an expert accountant
and particularly well qualified for the
duties of the position. He also has had
much experience in the plano business.

The other two officers of the board of
directors are Meesrs. J. P. Woods and
W. B. Buddo. The former is a member
of the law firm of Moomaw & Woods, of
this city, and is a brother of Judge John
W. Woods, of the hustings court. He
stands high at the bar and as a citizen.

Mr. Buddo is a planist of marked
ability fand is withal a courtly and
polished gentleman, being particularly
popular with local musicians and a decided acquisition to the Hobbie Plano
Company.

HOUSE CONTESTED ELECTIONS.

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Four Cases Decided Yesterday and Only

Four Cases Decided Yesterday and Only One Member Unseated.

WASHINGTON, April 8—Four contested elections cases were decided today by House elections committee No.

3. In only one case was the report adverse to a member holding his seat, Murray vs. Elliott. from South Carolina, which is favorable to Murray.

The other cases were: Johnson vs. Stokes, South Carolina, in favor of Stokes; Kearby vs. Abbott, Texas, in favor of Abbott; Ratliffe vs. Williams. In the last case the contestant did not make an appearance, and minority reports will be filed in all the others.

The Murray Elliott contest was the one over which most difference of opinion arose in the committee. There were four factions in this case, and for a long time an agreement seemed out of the question, so that last week the committee had practically agreed to permit Mr. Elliot to retain his seat.

The presence of one member who was absent from the meeting last week turned the scale and by a narrow majority it was decided to seat Murray, Murray will be the only colored man in this Congress, as he was in the last. He had many friends in the House and a strong pressure was brought to bear on the committee to seat him.

THE CASE OF MR. KNAPP.

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He is Detained at Diarbekir as Guest.

Guest.

Constantinople, April 8 — The publicity given to the case of the Rev. Geo. P. Knapp by the Associated Press has caused considerable excitement in official circles here, and explanations, which wore not previously forthcoming, are now to be had at first hand.

The Turkish minister for foreign afairs, Tewfik Pasha, late this evening voluntarily declared that while it was true that Mr. Knapp is detained at Diarbekir, the missionary is well treated and is a "guest" at the residence of the vili of Diarbekir.



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## Against Imported Operatives

NEW YORK, April 8 -A verdict of \$1,000 in favor of the Government was to-day rendered in the case brought in the United States circuit court against August Witteman. Witteman was accuaed of having imported into this country Carl Baltzer to run a steam press manufactured by a Leipsic firm. The defense claimed that Baltzer came here to work a new industry not then estab-lished in this country. The court held lished in this country. The court held that the contract had been proved and if the industry was new the defendant had not made a proper effort to secure an operative here.

SAVANNAH, Ga., April 8.—Fire to-day entirely destroyed the large six-story brick building occupied by the Savannah Grocery Company, on Bay street, near Bull. The loss on the building is placed at \$40,000 and on the stock at \$120,000. The insurance on the building was \$27,000. The stock was insured in New York city offices for over \$100,000.

#### Indiana Still in the Dock

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The battle-ship Indiana is still in the dry dock at ship Indians is still in the dry dock at Port Royal, though it was expected that she would come out yesterday. All necessary arrangements were made to that end, but there was not enough water over the sill of the dock to permit the big ship to float out. But it is hoped that in the course of a day or two, with the increasing tide the Indiana may come out easily.

#### Spanish Students Excited.

MADEID, April 8.—The students and members of the National party here are reported to be organizing demonstrations against the United States in view of the steps taken as to Cuban beiligerency.

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## WANTS A FLEET IN CUBAN WATERS

Strong Speech of Senator Turpie on Cuba Yesterday.

He Demands Radical Action in the Matter-Debate on Banking in the Senate-The Metric System Bill Recommitted in the House-Bill Exempting Coastwise Trading Vessels From Compulsory Pilotage Debated.

WASHINGTON, April 8. - Senator Turpie's speech on Cuba was the event of the day in the Senate and in many respects it was the most picturesque utterance heard on that subject. The Senator had an inexhaustible vocabulary and a bitter satirical style.

While arguing for radical action on Cuba, even to the extent of sending a fleet to Cuban waters, much of Mr. Turpie's speech was given to sarcasm and ridicule of the course of Mr. Sher-

Turpie's speech was given to sarcasm and ridicule of the course of Mr. Sherman and Mr. Lodge in managing the Cuban resolutions. The Senator created much amusement by his graphic portrayal of Senator Lodge as a warrior about to fight a duel with Minister Dupuy de Lome, of Spain.

Most of the day was given to the Indian appropriation bill, which was not completed. Unanimous consent was secured for taking up the resolution for a Senato inquiry into the recent bond issues next Monday.

Something of a debate on banking came up on Mr. Teller's request that a bill requiring national banks to keep their reserves in their own vaults be referred to the committee on finance. Mr. Teller said there was a congestion of money in the large Eastern cities growing out of the fact that the law permits bankers to keep their reserve in New York city, drawing interest and thus taking the funds from local use.

Last September, he said, \$200,000,000 of this outside money was tied up in New York. It tended to increase speculation. He was informed that 75 per cent. of these funds were used in stock speculation and not in legitimate business. He urged the finance committee to devise some method of reform.

Mr. Hoar agreed with Mr. Teller that a reform was necessary. Since the National Bank law went into force the practice had grow up of having outside banks deposit their reserve funds in the large cities in order to get the interest. It prevented the former reciprocity between the local borrowers and the local banks. In his opinion the banking law should be amended so as to prevent the payment of intorest on reserve deposits in all cases.

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Mr. Morrill, chairman of the finance committee, said both the Senators were mistaken, as the banks of standing did not pay interest on reserve deposits.

Mr. Hoar insisted that they did, and cited the Boston banks, which, he said, paid 3 per cent. on outside deposits. The bill went to the finance committee.

Mr. Turpie, of Indiana, was then recognized in support of the joint resolution of Mr. Call for the sending of a United States fleet to Cuban waters to protect Americans and to prevent Spanish barbarities. He then proceeded to criticize Senators Sherman, Hoar and Lodge for their course in regard to the Cuban resolutions. The Senator closed with a strong word picture of the future of Cuban

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Mr. Sherman at once moved an executive session and at 2 o'clock the doors were closed.

House Proceedings.

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In the House the bill to adopt the metric system of weights and measures was sent back to the committee on coinage, weights and measures for consideration. Of the first vote it had a majority of two, but the opposition was aggressive, and after a series of votes it was recommitted.

The remainder of the day was devoted to debate on the bill to exempt sailing vessels engaged in the coatwise trade

is engaged in the coastwise trade from compulsory pilotage laws with the understanding that the vote should be understanding that the vote should be taken at 2 p. m. tomorrow. The bill was champloned by Mr. Payne (Rep. N. Y.) and Sims of Massachusetts, and opposed by Mr. Cummings (Dem., N. Y.) Mr. Cummings in the course of his remarks charged that Mr. Chamberlin, commissioner of navication, had been lobbying in favor of the bill. The conference report on the agricultural bill was adopted. ference repo

#### The Case of Dan Bannek.

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ALBANY, N. Y. April 8.—Big Dan Banack, an ex-convict from Tennessee, was recently arrested in New York for raising adraft on the National Commercial Bank of this city from Sic to \$1,600. According to Banack's story the papers were given to him when he was released and he tore them to pieces while he was walking the streets of New York. Chief Willard, of the Albany police, says that proceedings will be begun against the Tennessee authorities for ignoring the extradition laws between the States.

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